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2. BASES FOR IMPROVING TRANSPORT PLANNING

TO RECOMMEND THAT THE SECRETARIAT SUPPORT THE EFFORTS MADE BY THE COUNTRIES FOR ESTABLISHING AND CONTROLLING TRANSPORT POLICIES AND IMPROVING THE BASES FOR TRANSPORT PLANNING, INCLUDING INFORMATION SYSTEMS. THE SECRETARIAT IS REQUESTED TO CONVENE A REGIONAL MEETING ON INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR TRANSPORT PLANNING, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH INTERESTED GOVERNMENTS AS REGARDS THE DESIRABILITY OF SUCH A MEETING.

3. TRANSPORT TECHNOLOGY

TO RECOMMEND THAT THE SECRETARIAT SUPPORT THE JOINT EXECUTION OF PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS AT THE REGIONAL OR SUB-REGIONAL LEVEL DESIGNED TO SECURE THE APPLICATION OF THE TRANSPORT TECHNOLOGIES MOST APPROPRIATE FOR THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES, THROUGH SPECIAL STUDIES, THE CONVENING OF TECHNICAL MEETINGS, AND THE ORGANIZATION OF THE EXCHANGE OF TECHNICAL MISSIONS BETWEEN INTERESTED COUNTRIES.

4. URBAN MASS TRANSPORT

TO REQUEST THE SECRETARIAT TO GIVE PRIORITY TO THE STUDY OF THE PROBLEMS OF MASS TRANSPORT AND ITS IMPLICATIONS FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT, ESPECIALLY IN THE CASE OF CITIES WITH HIGH GROWTH RATES.

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5. TOURISM

TO REQUEST THAT THE SECRETARIAT ASSIGN PRIORITY TO STUDIES ON TOURISM PROMOTION, AND PARTICULARLY TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF REGIONAL TOURISM CIRCUITS, WITH FULL SUPPORT FOR ACTION BY THE

COUNTRIES AND IN CGSE CO-ORDINATION WITH THE REGIONAL TOURISM COMMISSION OF THE AMERICAS OF THE WORLD TOURISM ORGANIZATION.

6. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

TO SUPPORT THE INITIATIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATION UNION TO CARRY OUT A REGIONAL PROJECT FINANCED BY LCJP TO PROMOTE RCZECWA# ITOG# THROUGH STUDIES AND ADVISORY ACTIVITIES,

THE FRONTIER INTEGRATION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS, THUS CONTRIBUTING TO MORE EFFECTIVE LATIN AMERICAN SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INTEGRATION.

C. MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS

REQUESTS THE ECLA SECRETARIAT, IN VIEW OF RECENT EVENTS CONNECTED WITH THE PROGRESS AND SCOPE OF THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS, TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE IN CONNEXION WITH NEGOTIATIONS TO THOSE LATIN AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS WHICH SO REQUEST, AND TO STRENGTHEN ITS CONTRIBUTION TO ECLA/UNCTAD/UNDP REGIONAL PROJECT RLA/72/098 ON CO-OPERATION WITH LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES ON TRADE POLICY MATTERS CONNECTED WITH THE NEGOTIATIONS MENTIONED;

RECOMMENDS THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS OF ECLA, FOR THE BETTER FULFILMENT OF THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PROJECT IN QUESTION, TO MAKE AVAILABLE AS FAR AS POSSIBLE THE SERVICES OF THEIR SPECIALIZED OFFICIALS, WHEN REQUIRED AS CONSULTANTS AND PROFESSORS BY THE PROJECT CO-ORDINATOR;

REQUESTS UNDP TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE REGIONAL PROJECT UNTIL THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS ARE COMPLETED, AND

FURTHER REQUESTS THAT, IF THE NEGOTIATIONS CONTINUE BEYOND JUNE 1976, THE ECLA SECRETARIAT SHOULD TAKE TIMELY STEPS TO OBTAIN FURTHER FUNDS FROM UNDP UNTIL THEY ARE CONCLUDED.

D. ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

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REQUESTS THE ECLA SECRETARIAT AND ILPES TO INTENSIFY THEIR EFFORTS RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RESOLUTION 331 (XV) CONCERNING THE PROGRESS OF THE REGIONAL AND SUB-REGIONAL INTEGRATION PROCESSES IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE IDENTIFICATION OF DIFFICULTIES AND NEW POSSIBILITIES OF ACTION, IN PARTICULAR THOSE WHICH MIGHT EFFECTIVELY CONTRIBUTE TO THE CONVERGENT HARMONIZATION OF THOSE PROCESSES;

FURTHER REQUESTS THE SECRETARIAT, IN SO FAR AS SUCH STUDIES MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO DETERMINE SPECIFIC AREAS AND MEANS OF ACTION FOR FRESH PROGRESS IN THE FIELD OF REGIONAL INTEGRATION, TO ORGANIZE AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME A TECHNICAL MEETING WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF EXPERTS FROM LATIN AMERICAN INTERGOVERNMENTAL INTEGRATION BODIES;

ALSO REQUESTS THE SECRETARIAT, SHOULD IT PROVE NECESSARY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ABOVE REQUESTS, TO ORGANIZE THE SUPPORT REQUIRED TO THAT END.

E. ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF PRIMARY COMMODITIES

RECOMMENDS THE ECLA SECRETARIAT, IN CARRYING OUT ITS PROGRAMME OF WORK, TO GIVE PRIORITY ATTENTION TO RESEARCH, STUDIES, AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR GIVING ADVISORY ASSISTANCE AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT TO GOVERNMENTS REGARDING THE MARKETING OF PRIMARY COMMODITIES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE COMMITTEE OF HIGH-LEVEL GOVERNMENT EXPERTS, WHICH COVER THE CONSIDERATION OF NEW POSSIBILITIES FOR PRODUCT AGREEMENTS, THE ORGANIZATION OF PRODUCERS, BUFFER STOCKS, AND THE INDEXING OF PRICES

OF PRIMARY COMMODITIES IN KEEPING WITH THE PRICES OF THE MANUFACTURED GOODS IMPORTED BY THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES;
NOTES THAT IN THESE STUDIES AND ADVISORY ACTIVITIES IT IS IMPORTANT TO ANALYSE THE EFFECT OF PRIMARY COMMODITY PRICE FLUCTUATIONS ON THE BALANCE-OF-PAYMENTS SITUATION OF THE PRODUCER COUNTRIES AND CONSIDER WHAT MEASURES COULD HELP TO SOLVE THE PROBLEMS ARISING FROM SUCH FLUCTUATIONS;
REQUESTS THE ECLA SECRETARIAT TO CONVENE AND MAKE PREPARATIONS FOR A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF HIGH-LEVEL GOVERNMENT EXPERTS TO CONSIDER GENERAL PROBLEMS AND REGIONAL APPROACHES IN THE FIELDS OF PRIMARY
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COMMODITIES;
ASKS UNDP TO PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR THE ABOVE ACTIVITIES, WHICH ARE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THE COUNTRIES OF LATIN AMERICA;
ALSO ASKS THE ECLA SECRETARIAT TO TAKE THE NECESSARY STEPS AND MAKE THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS IN ORDER TO FULFIL THE REQUESTS CONTAINED IN THIS RESOLUTION.
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